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FOR: Holder to Facilitate the Signing and Storage of Collectible Baseballs and Other Sports Memorabilia

**REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED ISSUANCE OF CORRECTED PATENT (OR
CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION) PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.322**

Att'n: Certificate of Corrections Branch
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**Certificate
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of Correction**

SIR:

The Patentee of the above-referenced United States Patent hereby requests a corrected patent pursuant to 37 CFR 1.322(b) or an Expedited Certificate of Correction pursuant to MPEP 1480.01.

REMARKS

The correct title given in the manuscript provided this Office of the United States Patent is "Holder to Facilitate the Signing and Storage of Collectible Baseballs and Other Sports Memorabilia." A copy of the Fee Transmittal for this Patent wherein this Office correctly used this title is herein submitted.

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However, as seen in item 54 on the first page of the issued Patent, as well as on column 1, line 1 of the issued patent, the title reads, "Holder to Facilitate the Signaling and Storage of Collectible Baseballs and Other Sports Memorabilia."


The Patentee herein submits USPTO Form PTO/SB/44 delineating the appropriate changes for an Expedited Certificate of Correction. However, the Patentee points out that a corrected patent under 37 CFR 1.322(b) is the more appropriate remedy here, as the error attributable to this Office relates directly to the title of this Patent. This error is clearly also replicated on the Office's Patent Search Database, thereby causing confusion to those individuals and entities searching for this Patent. It is respectfully requested that after the issuance of either a corrected patent or Certificate of Correction that the appropriate changes to the Database be made to alleviate all such confusion.

For all the aforementioned reasons, then, the Applicant respectfully requests that this Request for a corrected patent pursuant to 37 CFR 1.322(b), or alternatively an Expedited Certificate of Correction pursuant to MPEP 1480.01, be granted. No fee is believed due for this Request.

Should there be any further questions, this Office is respectfully requested to telephone the Patentee's undersigned representative at 973-595-6625 to arrange for a personal or telephonic interview in an effort to resolve any such questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Page 1, item (54): "SIGNALING" should be changed to --SIGNING--

Column 1, Line 1: "SIGNALING" should be changed to --SIGNING--

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